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MEMORANDUM FOR: NIO/Narcotics

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FROM:

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Legislation Division, Office of Congressional Affairs

SUBJECT:

Attorney General's Testimony on S. 789  
Request for Comments

1. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has asked for the Agency's views on the attached testimony. It is the Attorney General's proposed testimony on national drug policy and S. 789, the "drug czar" bill. The testimony is to be given on May 14, 1987, at a joint hearing of the Senate Judiciary Committee (chaired by Senator Biden, sponsor of S. 789) and the House Select Committee on Narcotics.

2. Essentially, the testimony recounts the work to date of the newly-created National Drug Policy Board and opposes the legislation as unneeded.

3. The testimony does not appear objectionable to the Agency. We would, however, appreciate having your views. As OMB has asked for the Agency's comments by 1:00 p.m. today, we would appreciate your comments by NOON TODAY. Your cooperation is most appreciated.

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Attachment  
as stated

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